

MCTLC STAR AWARD

Recognition of Professionalism

Study, **T**ravel, **A**chievement and **R**ecognition

Applications must be postmarked by June 15.



Minnesota World Language teachers exceed expectations both within and beyond the classroom. The Minnesota Council on the Teaching of Languages and Cultures (MCTLC) and the Minnesota Department of Education want you to know that your efforts are not going unnoticed! You exemplify superior qualities with your dedication to students, outreach to the community and continual efforts for improvement. We want to recognize you for excellence in World Language education with the annual MCTLC STAR AWARD.

The four STAR areas (Study, Travel, Achievement and Recognition) of professionalism represent continued professional development in learning outside the classroom, striving to excel, and showing leadership in professional organizations.

Candidates must meet three conditions: 1) Be a current World Language educator in a Minnesota elementary school, a junior high/middle school, or in a secondary, post-secondary or four-year institution, 2) Be a current member of the MCTLC, and 3) Compile 100 points from the previous academic year. The “Highest Degree Earned” category refers to degrees earned in any year, *not* just for degrees earned this past year. Please attach a second page if additional lines are needed.

All honorees will be recognized at the MCTLC Fall Conference Awards Luncheon with a certificate signed by a state dignitary. Press releases will be sent out, along with a letter of congratulations to the honoree and the principal/director of the teacher’s educational institution.

Candidates complete the STAR Award Worksheet. Mail or email by June 15 to:

MCTLC Vice President/Awards Chair
Shu-Hui (Linda) Chang
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St. Paul, MN 55108
or to awards@mctlc.org

MCTLC STAR AWARD WORKSHEET

Name _____ Total Worksheet Points _____
 School _____ Administrator's Name _____
 School Address _____
 City, State, ZIP _____
 Your Email _____ Phone () _____
 Licensure Area(s) _____ Courses you teach _____

STUDY	TRAVEL
<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Highest Degree</u></p> <p>Bachelor's 5 Master's or Doctorate 10 Other _____ 10</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><u>Graduate Credit</u> (Earned in previous academic year) 1 point per semester credit _____</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><u>Conference Attendance</u></p> <p>MCTLC 20 MEA 10 CAM/ACL/CAMWS or AAT 10 Other _____ 10 ACTFL (5 pts./day) _____ Central States (5 pts./day) _____</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><u>In-service Attendance</u></p> <p>Half-day (1 pt.) Full-day (2 pts.) _____ World Language Workshop 5</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><u>Mentoring (20 pt. maximum)</u></p> <p>Peer (attach brief description) 10 Student (attach brief description) 10</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>International Travel</u></p> <p>Personal (1 pt./week) _____ List countries or places: _____</p> <p>Used realia in classroom 5</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><u>International Study</u> (1 pt./credit hour or week) _____ List place and class: _____</p> <p>Led student travel group 20 Where? _____ When? _____ Number of students? _____</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><u>Domestic Travel</u></p> <p>Organized a WL Fair/Festival 20 Where? _____ When? _____ Number of students? _____</p> <p>Led a WL related field trip 5 Where? _____ When? _____ Number of students? _____</p>
ACHIEVEMENT	RECOGNITION
<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Awards/Honors</u></p> <p>National (specify): 10 State (specify): 10 Local (specify): 5</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><u>Presentations (20 pt. maximum)</u></p> <p>Place: 10 Event: _____ Title: _____</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><u>Publications (5 pts. per article)</u></p> <p>MN Language Review _____ Other (state, regional, natl. or intl.) _____ Publication: _____ Title: _____ Date: _____</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><u>Books (10 pts. per book)</u></p> <p>Title: 10 Publisher: _____</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><u>Grants</u></p> <p>Applied for a grant 5 Title and Source: _____ Grant application accepted 10</p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><u>Current Professional Memberships</u></p> <p>MCTLC 20 CSC Advisory Board 10 ACTFL 10 Others (5 pts. each) _____ AATF, AATF-MN, AATG, AATG-MN, AATSP, AATSP-MN, TESOL, MinneTESOL, MLA, Education MN, NNELL, Phi Delta Kappa, Delta Kappa Gamma, ACL, CAMWS, CAM, APA, Other (specify) _____</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><u>Education Leadership</u></p> <p>Organization: 10 Office(s) Held: _____ WL Club Advisor 10 Listserv/Web administrator 5 Other _____ 5</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><u>Community Service</u></p> <p>Exchange student host 10 Interpreter (1 pt./hr) _____ Other _____ 5</p>

Postmark by June 15: **Shu-Hui (Linda) Chang, Hmong College Prep Academy, 1515 Brewster St., St. Paul, MN 55108**